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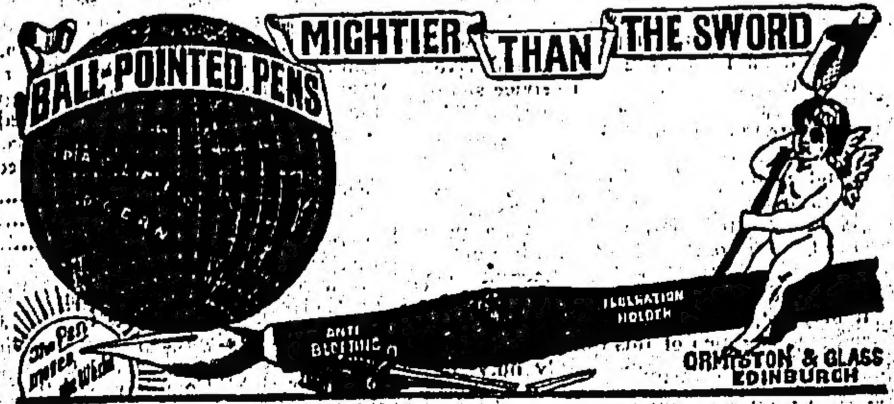
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have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 18th instant, will be subject to rent. All Claims against the Steamer must

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HONGKONG, THURSDAY, MARCH 14, 1889.

TELEGRAMS.

(Reuter.)

THE DUC D'AUMALE.

LONDON, March 11th. The French Ministry has rescinded the ban of exile upon the Dake d'Aumale and the Chamber has endorsed the order.

THE PANIC IN PARIS. The Comptoir d'Escompte has had a continuous run upon it; and there has been a great rush to sell Metal Companies' shares connected

> (From Straits Times.) HARRISON'S PLATFORM.

LONDON, March 5th. President Harrison's message to Congress protests against any foreign domination in Panama, sustains American rights in Samoa and recommends the increase of the Navy. The President states that it is the duty of Congress to adjust the revenue laws so as to leave a small surplus without attacking the Protection

> (From the Courrier d'Haiphong.). ITALIANA#FAIRS.

PARIS, March 5th. Signor Crispi has been entrusted with the mission of larming 's cabinet.

THE FRENCH MINISTER FOR THE COLUNIES.

March 7th. A Council of Ministers are enquiring into the

powers of the Minister for the Colonies. KING MILAN. The King of Servia has abdicated in favour of the heir to the throng,

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

THE recent floods in Shantung swept away twenty-four villages.

to-morrow at 4 pant

THE Korean Government has lately proposed to establish a consulate at Nagasaki.

MADAME Korff's concert will take place in the St. Andrew's Hall, City Hall, this evening, commencing at 9 o'clock.

THE British surveying-vessel Rambler, Com- Admiral Sir E. Commerell, and not to Admiral mander W. A. Moore, arrived to-day from a | Sir R. Vesey Hamilton. The reason for this is

little chance of the repairs to the breach in the | manceuvres. Yellow River proving permanently effective.

MR. H. A. Giles, British consul at Tamsui, will shortly take charge of the consulate at Ningpo, WE learn that Mr. J. D. Ross. first lieutenant of

promoted to commander of that vessel. THE death is reported from Hamburg of Capt. Lorenz Goede, who was at one time well known on the China coast. He was eighty years of

THE Superintendent of the P. & O. S. N. Co. courteously informs us that the steamship. Ganges, with the next English mail, left Singapore for this port at 6 a.m. to-day.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Oriental, built and engined by Messrs. Caird & Co. of Greenock, ran her trial trip in Wenguss Bay on February 1st., attaining an average speed of 18 knots,

THE ship Sachem, on arrival at New York on January, 22nd from Hongkong, reported that on January 19th, in lat. 3! N., long 72 W., she was struck by a tornado from W.N.W., and lost 131 lower topsails and spars.

THE British steamer Claymore, arrived at Malta on February 5th from Yokohama, with all her propeller blades broken. She had to discharge about 200 tons of her cargo to enable her to go on the hydraulic lift.

WE read that of the Emperor's accession, among the honours distributed on the occasion, the Seventh Prince is to have his sword scabbard covered with yellow bark, an old Manchu honorific. The bark is from a tree of Acacia, family, Robinia pygmaa.

IT is notified in the Peking Gazette that Prince Li succeeds Prince Tun as President of the Imperial Clan Court, and the Vice-Presidentship has been conferred on Prince Ching, who is succeeded in his former post of Assistant Director by Prince K'o-ch'in.

THE Chinese, Times says that Mr. Ferguson, Minister Resident for Holland at Peking, will probably remain at Swatow during this year to arrange emigration, an important matter for the Dutch Indian Colonies. On his return to Peking he will assume the full rank of Minister.

WE learn on reliable authority that Mr. F. E. Woodruff will succeed Mr. Francis W. White as Commissioner of Customs at Canton, when the latter proceeds home on leave of absence. Mr. Woodruff was formerly at Canton, and was one of the most popular Commissioners that ever held this important position.

OUR Tientsin contemporary remarks that the honour accorded by Decree to Liu Ming-chuan, Governor of Formosa, while it comes rather late, and probably as a reparation for undescribed neglect of a courageous and skilful soldier, incomparably the best China had in the recent war, will be well received, as he is highly popular with the people as well as with the army.

A JAPANESE contemporary, the Choya Shimbun, says that the Chinese Government allowed its Consul at Yokohama Tls. 2,000 for the celebration in connection with the Imperial Matriage. An honoured guest at the entertainment was Mr. Arai, who is at present Principal of Leprosy Hospital at Komagome, and who has been engaged to proceed to China to direct an anti-leprosy campaign.

WE read in an Indian paper that Mrs. Dunlop, the wife of the well-known engineer of the Hyderabad State Railway, has achieved the proud feat of bagging a tiger. A party consisting of Mr. Furnivall, Mr. Schæffer, and their fair companion accounted for three tigers in as many days, one falling to each gun. Mrs. Dunlop's tiger was the largest, and fell to a single shot which found its brain. Mr. Schæffer has himself accounted for twenty-one tigers within the past twelve months.

THE shower of honours, says the Chidese Times. which the Empress Regent has been bestowing on various statesmen and officials resembles somewhat the distribution of stars and crosses which usually marks the retirement of a government in England. The selection of the two men who are identified with the progressive policy, the Seventh Prince and the Viceroy Li, for special honour shows that Her Majesty means to stand to her guns : and if she has temporarily to lower her colours and let the "young men have their way for a time, her personality is too powerful a factor in the State to remain long

THE Fusan (Korea) correspondent of Shanghai Mercury writers on the 22nd ulto :--There is no particular news from here. The winter seems to be over and we have fine warm days. Business is dull. Plenty of sweet potatoes from Goto are being imported for Korean use. The other day about 700 piculs of wheat arrived. which the Korean King is giving to the people for seed. The agent of the new Russian steamship company passed through here the other day on his way to Chemulpo, where he is going to buy ground to build his Co,'s, offices and godowns. " I heard that he had also gone up to Soul to settle the business with regard to buying lands here in Fusan for the same purpose.

THE Tientsin correspondent of the Shanghai Mercury writes: - Li Hung-chang has been pleased to sanction an edict, independent of that new mine at Kaiping, to Messrs. Tong King-sing and Li Foo-ting, to work the anthracite coal mines at Shan Hai Kwan, a very rich field of about 60 // square. Both mines are leased on a

local consumption per day :--Mining Plant-Cornish Hoiler Engines, Pumps, Winding Drum, Chain, Buckets, and all complete, costing laid Tls. down in mine...... 9,300 Sinking shaft 3,700 Building and Engine Shop...... 5,000 For unforeseen expenses &c...... 2,000

Daily Sales at Mine tons 300 at Tls. 1.50...... 450. Pay to foreigners and Chinese per dayTls..... 240

Net profit Tls. 210.

This gives a very handsome profit of Tis. 76,650 a year. Or this is the way the Chinese have put it on paper, but the question is :--Will these be the expenses and the profit made? I THERE will be a game of Polo at Causeway Bay | doubt it. The Tan San mine, for instance, will prove it is not such an easy matter,

THE SCHOOLBOYS' annual athletic sports will take place at the Race course on Wednesday next, the 20th inst.

IT is now reported that the appointment of First Sea Lord of the Admiralty, to be vacated in July by Admiral Hood, will probably be offered to said to be owing to a certain amount of friction between Admirals Hood and Hamilton, due ACCORDING to reports from Honan there is very to the latter's report on last year's Naval

MESSES. Fleming and Ferguson, engineers and shipbuilders, Paisley, launched from their yard on the 2nd February a steel screw steamer, named the Singapore, which is intended for passenger and cargo service between China and Singapore. Her dimensions are 275 feet in the Customs revenue cruiser Fei Hoo, has been length, by 36 feet beam. She will be fitted by the builders with their patent improved balance quadruple-expansion engines, to indicate 1,600horse power.

WE have received a telegram from Singapore stating that the "Amy Sherwin" Opera Company, after the most successful season ever known in that colony, left for Hongkong yesterday by the steamship Ganges. It will be seen by a notice in our advertising columns that Miss Sherwin's company will give a series of operation representations in the Theatre Royal, City Hall commencing on Thursday next the 21st inst. with Flotow's "Martha,"

THE Siam Mercantile Gazette of the and inst gives in the following paragraph a rather curious example of Siamese social customs :- On Tuesday morning last Captain Ames discovered n the rear of the Canton temple on the New Road, the body of a woman suspended by the neck in a tree. The body was cut down and on enquiry it was ascertained that the woman being a debtor-slave had arranged with her mistress to pay her debt, but some objection being made to her leaving, she had committed suicide, either out of despair, or from motives of revenge, as she thus deprived her mistress of the amount of

WE note the arrival from Manila of a talented troupe of 'variety' artistes who intend giving a series of performances under canvas at Bowrington-on the site where Chiarini's circus was pitched-, commencing probably on Satur-"The Paradox," for such is the designation of the entertainment, comprises fifteen skilled gymnasts, equilibrists, pantomimists, clowns, etc. in addition to some very clever performing ponies. dogs and monkeys. They have met with grea success in India, Java, and the Philippines, and we doubt not will receive substantial support in this colony. - Further particulars will shortly be

SAYS the Siam Mercantile Gazette of March and:-Every day this week large crowds have visited the Watt grounds in the vicinity of the Bangkok Dock Co.'s premises, in expectation of seeing the execution of the Chinese who were arrested in connection with the late riots and murders which took place on the lower part of the New Road lately. The executions however have been delayed and it is doubtful whether they will ever take place. We hear that every night councils are held at the Palace probably concerning the Secret Societies question. olden days in Siam, to be a member of a Secret Society was regarded as high treason, but within the last 10 years or so the societies have been to a certain extent recognized by the Government.

WE learn from the Japan Mail that it was recently determined to break open a safe that had stood closed for years in the British Legation at Tokio, the key having been lost. The deed was done, and in the safe were found the accounts of some of the Consulates, and a box of gold and silver medals which had been sent by the British Government for distribution among the Japanese who defended the British Legation in Tokic against the attack made on it—in which the late Mr. Laurence Oliphant was wounded-on the 4th of July, 1861. These medals have been entirely forgotten for twenty-six years, and the difficulty now is to find the men for whom they were intended. It appears that in alluding to the find the other day, Count Ito, the present President of the Privy Council, claimed on the ground that he was one of the samural engaged in the attack ; but it appears that the affair is which he took part was the burning of the new British Legation on the night of its completion

WE have received from Messrs. Justus Lambke & Co., who are sole agents in Hongkong and China, sample tins of Dr. Knorr's antipyrine, medicine that has the reputation of being a most efficacious remedy for fever, sick headaches sea-sickness, etc. Antipyrine is a white crystal line powder, very soluble in pure water, and i prepared, as its name indicates, from coal-tar products. According to frequent experiments and the opinion of a great number of eminen German doctors, this medicine lowers the temperature from two to three degrees within tw hours without leaving any bad after-effects. Is the British Medical Journal of December 24th, 1887, Dr. Geo. C. Kingsbury, of Blackpool speaks most highly of antipyrine as a speedy and complete cure for migraine. He says tha eight grains dissolved in lemonade, and repeated every half-hour, the patient meanwhile lying down, never failed to effect a cure after, at the most, three doses. He further states tha antipyrine will prevent as well as cure fever. ought to be a very valuable medicine residents in this part of the would. For further particulars we would refer our readers to as advertisement in another column.

THE HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB

PRESENTATION TO THE CLERK OF THE

The members of the Hongkong Jockey Club met in the City Hall this afternoon for the purpose of presenting an address and testimonial to Mr. J. H. Tripp, who for the past eight years has filled the onerous and responsible position of Clerk of the Course, and who, owing to continued ill health, will shortly leave the colony to settle down in Shanghai.

Stewards and most of the leading members of

the Jockey Club, The presentation was made pleasing duty has been assigned to me of presenting you with an address to-day. The address itself is not a very lengthy one, but I think good things can always be said in a few words. (" Hear hear"). That the sporting community in this Colony—the Jockey Club—have the greatest appreciation of your services you may feel assured. (" Hear hear ") You have forwarded sport in this Colony in a way which has never been excelled, as Clerk of the Course, which is a most onerous and important duty, and one which involved a great deal of labor and auxiety. Even when you were not in very good health you have actually gone down and attended to the business of the course, to your community appreciate your services in the highest-

would have continued to do yeoman service at the Racecourse for many years to come. In fact, Mr. Tripp, your name is a household word among us-it is "Tripp" here, and "Tripp! here, and everywhere. ("Hear hear" and applause) I have now the duty of reading this address—a simple testimonial to the appreciation in which you are held by the Club. It is as

"l'o H. J. H. TRIPP. Eso. Dear Sir, - On the eve of your departure from the Colony we, the members of the Hongkong Jockey Club, desire to express our esteem and regard for you personally and to present you with a small token of our appreciation of the valuable services which you have rendered to us and the Hongkong Race Meetings for a great

As Clerk of the Course you have been indefatigable in carrying out what have been most onerous duties, and your zeal and goodwill have, to a great extent, ensured the success of our annual Race Meetings, For this devotion you will always live in the memory of the sporting community of Hongkong, and we now beg that you will accept this address, accompanied by a small testimonial by which you may remember your Hongkong friends.

It is a matter of deep regret to us that the state of your health necessitates a change of climate, and we earnestly trust that it may have the happy effect of restoring your health and former wigour and that every prosperity may attend you in the future.

We remain.

ours very sincerely, Hongkong, 14th March, 1880.

Mr. Tripp, who spoke with some emotion, said -Mr. Ryrie, and gentlemen-I assure you that I hardly express my feelings when I say that I leave Hongkong with deep regret, I have been connected with the place some eight and twenty years, and though, as Mr. Ryrie has said, it is an onerous duty to be Clerk of the Course, as far I was concerned it was a labor of love (applause). am fond of sport-it was bred in me, and I hope it will continue to the end. I assure you, in my experience I have always found that a good generally a jolly good fellow. ("Hear hear") I before the pleasant proceedings terminated. can only say that I hope the Jockey Club will continue to prosper as it has done. There was a remark made at the tiffin given at the Races by our new and enthusiastic sportsman; Mr. Mody, that the course on that occasion was better than it had ever been before or would ever be again. I objected to the "ever will be again," because I do not think there is anything that can't be improved; and am sure the gentleman who will come after me will also use his best endeavours to improve it don't feel up to making a long speechfeel the parting from this place very much (Applause). I shall always feel, as long as l look upon this address, that this was one of the

proudest moments of my life (Applause). It is source of great pleasure to me to know that what I have done has been so appreciated by the community of Hongkong (" Hear, hear") again thank you most sincerely. Repeated cheers were given for Mr. Tripp as

the meeting dispersed.

THE HONGKONG VOLUNTEERS.

PRESENTATION TO MAJOR TRIPP. The Volunteer headquarters were quite brilliant last night in honour of the officer in command, Major H. J. H. Tripp, who is, owing to ill health necessitating his leaving the Colony, about to sever his connection with the corps, The Armoury front was prettily illuminated colored lamps being placed along the upper cornices and forming the initials "H. J. H. T." at the top, over a star. The arches below were lighted with groups of Chinese lanterns, which were also hung in festoons among the trees and flags surrounding the lawn in front of the building. A small platform surrounded by bunting, and guarded by miniature cannon, occupied the central arch, and was faced by the seven pounders of the Battery. The interior of the Armoury temporarily transformed into a buffet, was also appropriately adorned, Quartermaster-sergeant filliams, R.A., and Sergeant Steer, R.A., with Quartermaster-Sergeant Mehta of the Volunteers as director, being the decorative geniuses. At he appointed time, nine o'clock, a large number of ladies and gentlemen were present, including the officers of the Royal Artillery and the whole of the Volunteers. The latter were drawn up at the guns, and after some delay Major Tripr arrived, the band of the Highlanders playing For he's a jolly good fellow." He inspected the the men for the last time, after which Captain

McCallum put them through a few evolutions

which they performed in a very smart and

soldierly style.

The Hon. P. Ryrie, who was to make the presentation, then advanced with Major Tripp o the centre of the group of visitors and said :-Major Tripp -It gives me extreme pleasure to address you this evening on behalf of your corps, --of which I am an honorary member-and of the community of Hongkong. You have done much for the community whilst you have been in command of the corps during past years, and it does the greatest credit to you and your officers. The proficiency of the Volunteers as artillerists think even our friends in the regular Army will admit. At the same time, there is credit due to the gentlemen who serve under you, for a Volunteer corps is a body of intelligent gentlemen, who have devoted their leisure time to the public service in a manner which is worthy of every regard and gratitude from the community. We should look upon this corps if occasion arose, though we all hope it never may, to the Hongkong Volunteers whom you have the honour to command, as an efficient portion of the defensive forces in the Colony, to do your duty when called upon (Applause). As to yourself, you are my old familiar friend; I have known you for many years, and known you to be connected with everything that is good in the Colony (applause) The regret which we all feel at parting with you must be echoed by yourself at parting from us. It is regrettable that your health compels you to leave this place, aut we cherish the sincere hope that where you are going to take up your. residence the climate will restore your health and so compensate you for having left Hongkong ("Hear, hear"). When I say that the corps you leave is worthy of every praise, officers and men alike, I am not saying too much, Wo intended to present you with a testimonialsomething by which you would remember the service, but unfortunately it is not quite ready. However, it will follow you to Shanghai, and the best wishes of the Colony will accompany it. ("Hear, hear"): , I hope you will look upon it and us with pleasant memories in after-years. Major Tripp, I have every pleasure in wishing you in your future career, wherever it may be

spent, success and happiness (applause.) Major Tripp, in reply, said :-- Mr. Ryrie, honorary members, and brother-volunteers-As There was a large attendance, including the Mr. Ryrie has remarked, it is with feelings of deep regret, I assure you, that I am here to-night to say good-bye. I have now been in Hongkong on and off, for over 28 years, and have Hon. P. Ryrie, who said ;-Mr Tripp-The | been connected with the Volunteer service since 1863, so you may very well imagine how painful my feelings are at leaving. I am proud, gentlemen, to have had under my command such officers and men as now stand before me. Of course with volunteers we have a great deal to contend against—they give up their time and amusement to turn out to drill, which is a good deal more of a duty than a pleasure at the beginning, and I think the time will come,-I hope it may not, but we are in troublous times -when the young men of this Colony will wish they had taken to the more manly duty of making themselves capable of defending their hearths and homes instead of the simple and gentle game of lawn-tennis (laughter and apown discomfort and physical disadvantage. The plause). But I feel sure that when that time does come those young men will turn out to a degree. (applause). The Jockey Club deeply man-that they will consider this corps as a regret your departure and its cause (Hear hear). | nucleus, and will join shoulder to shoulder with We seel ourse that if your bealth had been good you you who are doing your duly and making of the Course, whilet the successive competitors

("Hear, hear"). . I feel extremely gratified at | decided as follows. seeing such a large number assembled here to-night to bid me "Good bye." I can only say that I appreciate the honor, and that whatever form your kind testimonial may take I shall look upon it as the best and brightest souvenir in my possession (applause). I have always felt that the Volunteer movement is a great movement and England may thank herself that she has had that body to fall back upon (Hear, bear). The English Volunteers are now a standing army, and as long as England has them-either at home or in far-off places like Hongkong-she has something reliable to fall back on (Sear, hear). I wish you all health and happiness-may the Volunteer movement increase and flourish, and may those who cannot give their time give their money. You know we want money to carry on the work -we have a great many expenses, and it is hard on the members to have to give both their time and money. Therefore I hope that those gentlemen who do not give their time will help in another way, by all joining as honorary members ("Hear, hear"). I again thank you most heartily.

Cordial cheers were then given for the gallant Major and Mr. Ryrie, the band striking up "For he's a jolly good fellow." A very pleasant al fresco concert was then given, sentimental, comic, and topical songs being sung and recitations given by Gunner Laing, Mr. J. D. Lapraik, Sergeant Osborne, Sergeant Dade, Gunner Bailey, Gunner Cooper, Mr. J. D. Lapraik. and Gunner Bailey, encores being frequent, At intervals, also, dancing was indulged in to the sportsman is a man who can be trusted, and is music of the band, and it was near midnight

The form the testimonial will take is that of model of a six-pounder gun in silver, mounted in an ebony fort, the whole resting on a silver stand. Wang Hing, the silversmith, is making it.

THE A. AND S. HIGHLANDERS - SPORTS.

The annual Regimental Sports of the Argyle and Sutherlandshire Highlanders were concluded last evening. They began on Tuesday. owing to the great length of the programme, which comprised no less than thirty-three competitions. The attendance each day was extremely satisfactory, and although the northeast wind swept the Race-course chillingly the arrangements for screening, scating, and refreshing the visitors were very comfortable. The events succeeded each other with commendable promplitude, but the running, jumping, and tugof-war were not quite so successful as they would have been if the ground had been firmer. The dancing, both in the Company reel and the individual competitions, was particularly interesting, Sergeant Piper Hall, the first in each contest, and the winner of many others at home, gaining repeated applause. The comic element agreeably enlivened each day! proceedings, Private Sloane, in a nondescrip costume, taking a number of alleged photographs with a bogus camera and stolidly exhibiting the results—rough but cleverly-drawn caridatures to the highly-amused spectators. During each

afternoon the Band played a number of selections. The Committee were :- Major Chater, Lieut., Douglas, Lieut. Sutherland, and Lieut. H. L. Henderson. Sub-Committee-Sergeant-Major Williamson, Sergeant Martin, Sergeant Gunn, Cook-Sergeant Thomson. The Judges for the Pipers' Competitions were Lieut. Thorburn, Capt. Anderson, and Mr. J. McInnes, and for the Dancing. Competitions Hon. P. Ryrie, Capt. Anderson, M. J. McInnes, and Mr. Greig.

FIRST DAY. ONE HUNDRED YARDS RACE; 1st prize, \$5 2nd prize, \$2.50; 31d prize, \$1.

Eight competitors. Won by a yard, good third. . Ewan I Templeman.....2 Murison

FOOT BALL -PLACE KICK; 1st prize, \$2.50; 2nd prize, \$1.50. This was a novel event to the spectators and exhibited the prowess of the best men in the

Regimental Football team. The winner, powerful young soldier, lifted the "leather" 56 yards, seven feet beyond the second man's Pte. Gilmour

LONG JUMP-1st Prize; \$3; 2nd \$2. The take-off was not good, but six inches over six yards was reached by the winner, the next best covering 17st, 7in.

Pte. Templeman..... 1 SERVICE RACE—Handicap; one yard for each year's service over seven; 1st prize; \$3.50; 2nd prize, \$2.50.

The allowance did not seem sufficient, the two scratch men beating the two veterans easily. Templeman...... BOYS' RACE-1st Prize, \$2.50; 2nd \$1.50.

HICH JUMP-1st Prize \$3; and \$2. Again the softness of the ground placed the entrants at a disadvantage. Eight competed, the winner only topping 4 ft. 9 in.

Pte Gorman I

Clayton ... I

FOOTBALL DROP-KICK-1st Prize \$2.50; 20 With a Rugby ball a good record would have been made, but the oval Association ball bothered the men. The best kick was 44 yards

2 feet; second best 39 yards I foot. Pte Murison THROWING THE CRICKET BALL-1st Prize

\$2.50; 2nd \$1.50... The Northamptonshire record was not touched by some yards, the best of the nine who com peted reaching 97 yards 5 inches, and the second 94 yards.

Wilson MILE RACE—Handicap—Ist Prize, \$6.50; 2nd, \$4.50 ; 3rd, \$2.50.

This was one of the most interesting of the day's events. Gorman, one of the scratch men was favorite, and justified the prediction, but the second man, Ewan, ran finely. The race was practically between them, the rest gradually giving up, and the final lap was finished with: grand sprint, Gorman snatching the race by half a yard. Bad third. Time 4 min. 59 secs.

Gorman Conolly (40 yards)

COMPANY TUGS OF WAR. The various heats in this competition were pulled off, the final being left to next day. It the first round G Company beat the Pipers, Company beat A Company, D Company beat C Company, and F Company heat B Company In the second round F Company beat G Com pany and E Company beat D Company.

ACTING PIPERS' COMPETITION-Marches-ist prise, \$3; 2nd, \$2.

yourselves efficient in anticipation of such a call skirled away outside. The surviving judges Stephens McKay..... 2 FULL PIPERS COMPETITION-March, Strathspey and Reel-1st prize, \$5.50; 2nd, \$2.50. Ross Ramsay 2 SECOND DAY. The following were the events yesterday:---HOP STEP AND JUMP - 1st prize, \$3; 2nd, \$2, The winner had an easy victory over his three opponents, the nearest being a yard behind Templeman (30ft. 1in) 1
McMillan (36ft. 1in) 2 NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS' RACE-220 yds. -1st prize, \$4; 2nd, \$3. Won by three yards. Five competitors, Lance Corporal McKenzie Lance Corporal Roxburgh 2 . UTTING THE SHOT-Weight 16lbs-1st prize. \$5 ; and prize, \$3. Here the "kilties" easily broke the 50th Regiment record of 34 ft. 1 in. and quite disgraced the H. K. A. A. "put " of 28' feet 3 in. Wilson (35st. 10in.) Gilmour (34ft, 11in.) 2 BOYS' RACE-Under 12 years, 50 yards. Handicap. Horace Robertson Harry Robertson 2. VETERANS' RACE-Over 12 years' service; 1st prize, \$4; 21.d prize, \$3. Three entered for this race, which was won by about a foot and-a-half. Time, 32 1-5th secs. Distance 220 yards. Colour Sergt. Duff 1. Sergt. Edwards 2 THROWING THE HAMMER—1st prize, \$2.50; 2nd prize, \$1.50. There were six imitators of Thor, but none of them came near his record. Result-McKenzie (78ft. 7in.) Gilmour (73ft. 7in.) 2

HURDLE RACE-120. yards. Six flights. 1st prize, \$5; and prize, \$2.50; 3rd prize, \$1.

This was an excellent contest and produced six entries. All took the flights well, but Templeman had the knack of dropping in position for recommencing running, and came in five yards to the good. The time was very good-18 seconds. Result:-Templeman

Anderson..... 3 MILE RACE.—Open. 1st prize, \$10; 2nd prize, \$7; 3rd prize, \$4.

Entries:-Seamark, Daniel, Karram Singh, Gundah Singh, Ewan, Connolly and Gorman. Gundah Singh, the best half-miler at last year's Military Sports, showed out from the beginning, Gorman being the only one who could stay near him. In the last lap Gorman made an effort, but Gundah responded to the call. and a fast finish resulted in his favor. Connolly dropped out. Time 5 min. 21 secs. Result:-

Gundah Singh (Gun Lascars)..... t Pte. Seamark grst...... 3 GIRLS' RACE, -50 yards handicap-ist prize \$1.50; 2nd \$1.

Lizzie Kemp Clara Dawson..... SACK RACE.—1st prize \$2.50; 2nd \$1.50. This was vastly amusing. The six competitors had to lie with their backs to the goal, and their

getting up, turning, and subsequently frog-like leaps caused much hilarity. Pte. Morrison I ITCH AND KICK-1st Prize, \$2.50; 2nd, \$1.50. In this event the candidates had to kick an object and alight on the same foot, requiring

much dexterity as well as activity. The winner was the shortest of the four who entered. Pte. McMillan (7ft. 2in.) 2

COMPANY TUG-OF-WAR. The final heat was pulled off between E. and F. Companies. There was a good struggle made, the second pull lasting several minutes, during which some of the men made regular ditches with their heels in the soft ground. E Company gained both pulls.

PIPERS' COMPETITION-Open; 1st Prize, \$6; 2nd, We are afraid none but the pipers and the judges took much interest in this, other items being simultaneously proceeded with. The Regimental pipers took first and second place, although several local knights of the chanter

Ross I Stephenson 2 QUARTER MILE RACE—1st prize, \$5; 2nd, \$2.50; 3rd, \$1.

The first away got this easily, with a good Templeman Morrison 2 Bowie 3

COMPANY REELS—Prize \$8: This was danced by sets of four, five companies entering representatives. The first, the Pipers, were handsomely attired, and danced beautifully, and easily gained the first place. One of the other sets broke down through a man losing his cap and "queering the pitch" by picking it up. His companions looked daggers at him as they walked off in the middle of the

figure. C Company got the second place. HALF MILE RACE -- Open to the Service, Volunteers, and Police-Ist Prize \$5; and \$3; 3rd Gundah Singh was made favorite of the four

starters, his time a year ago being zmin, 13 secs. Gorman, who ran very prettily, left him the first lap, and he was soon afterwards in the year of Pte. Seamaric of the 58th. The latter pulled up well in the last hundred yards, and with a friend to make the pace came up just in time to snatch the victory from Gorman. Time amin. 15 secs.

Gundah Singh lossing the Cabin-1st Prize, \$3; and \$2.50. The beam selected seemed too heavy for the boys," and indeed it was unusually big. Five tried it. but, none sent it right over, although P. C. Adamson, who tried it some time after-

wards, did so very cleanly. Result:-Gilmour.....I HIGHLAND FLING -- Open-1st prize, \$5; 2nd.

6**83**2 44 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 The competitors were mostly men from the Company reel. Hall easily gained the first honours, Pte. Kelly, who had a curious style of waving his arms, being adjudged second. Sword Dance. - Open-1st prize, \$5; and, \$3°.
The same competitors, with the same result

as the previous dance, a third prize being added for Sergeant Cameron, who footed it very featly. TUO OF WAR. - Open - Prize \$15, entrance \$5 per team to be added to prize. Three teams entered—Highlanders. Police.

and Marine Artillery. The Police and High-The judges may have enjoyed this, but we I landers pulled off the first, but the result was doubt it. They eat in a rough tent in the middle loregone. The "bobbies " stripped splendidly. like towers of trength, and were evidently most

too heavy for their opponents. P. C. McDougall officered them, and, with his hat waving frantically, gave the word to "Heave, now heavel", in a very ludicious manner. His men hove, however, and quickly pulled theiropponents afterwards disposed, with even greater esse of the Marine Artillery, and gained the prize.

'Mrs Forbes-Robertson having distributed the prizes the meeting was over.

THE SANITARY BOARD.

A meeting of the Sanitary Board was held yesterday afternoon. Present :- Dr. P. B C. Ayres, Colonial Surgeon, President; Hon. W. M. Deant, Vice-President; Hon. Wong Shing, Dr. Cantlle, Mr. N. J. Ede, and Mr. W. E. Crow (Acting Hon, Secretary.)

The Secretary read several letters from the Colonial Secretary inviting observations by the Board on the clauses of the Building Ordinance relating to privies.

The Chairman said the circulation of the papers in connection with this subject had not been completed, and as the matter had not been placed on the orders of the day it could not be considered at this meeting.

The Secretary read a letter from the Acting Sanitary Superintendent forwarding a draft Bill to amend the Public Health Ordinance as regards the compulsory reporting of infectious diseases, and suggesting the addition of certain clauses with reference to scavenging contracts.

The Chairman said the draft Bill was being printed and would be circulated. The amendment of the Ordinance was deemed necessary pecause it was found impossible to deal with certain points in the form of by-laws, and it was therefore proposed to provide for them by Ordinance.

The Secretary read a letter from Dr. Cantlie

giving notice of his intention to raise the question of the epidemic hospital, to sak what had been done as to the selection of a site, and to make a proposal as to a site. The Chairman said a site had been surveyed

by himself, the Surveyor-General, Dr. Atkinson, and the Sanitary Board officer, and had been recommended to the Government.

Dr. Cantlie-We have no knowledge of that. The Chairman-No, it has not come before the Board yet.

Dr. Cantlie-The sooner we have notice of it the better. The Chairman suggested that Dr. Cantlie

should draft a motion for the next meeting. The Board then adjourned, the Chairman intimating that an emergency meeting would be held next Wednesday to consider the Building

LABOUCHERE'S GOSSIP.

The subjoined items are from Truth of the 6th and 12th ulto, -specially cabled to the San Francisco Chronicle:-

JONDON, February 6th. The approaching visit of the Shah to England is causing much embarrassment to the court officials. He comes to all European courts as a guest and expects to be received with at least the same honors which were accorded him in 1873. The Czar is preparing to give Nasreddin. a magnificent recention both at Moscow and St. Petersburg, and is already preparing for the greatest review of troops that has ever been held in Russia to take place during his stay. What is to be done with his Majesty in England is not yet settled, but the Queen is resolved not to give him quarters in Buckingham Palace again. having decided that there is to be no repetition of the Oriental orgies which took place there in eccentricities. It is proposed to engage a Robert Morier. residence for the Shab, whose visit, it is earnestly hoped, will not exceed a week.

I hear that the Queen has issued orders that any noble gentlemen who may be considered to have misconducted themselves, but whose offenses have not been such as to justily exclusion from court, are to be punished by not being invited to state balls or state concerts.

When King Bomba of Naples imprisoned Thebe, who demanded that his prison rules be changed so as to be in accordance with justice and not to treat as a felon one whom the Italians regarded as an honorable stalesman. Mr. Gladstone denounced him, and the British | Government withdrew their representative from Naples. If the United States Senate follow our example and decline to confirm the appointment of any Minister to this country so long as Trish | singular want of good taste on the part of that many rest satisfied that every Liberal in this English ladies presenting his wife with an address fered with the election and for having subse- make out from his speech on the address to Mrs. has deserred the appointment of a Minister to between American State rights and Irish Home Washington as a species of punishment. American Rule. dislike of Lord Salisbury is no new thing. He was one of the vice-presidents of the Southern Independence Association, the object of which was the promotion of the cause of the rebellion in America.

Wilkie Collins, so I read, is ploiding on his memoirs, which promise to make a volume rich in interest. This piece of news will considerably surprise Mr. Collins, who has not written a single line of his memoirs, nor has he my intention of undertaking such a work. Mr. Collins has finished a novel entitled "The Lord Harry."

Acorrespondent writes: "One of your contemporaries gives a list of sovereigns, ex-sovereigns. and princes who have died mysteriously, and virulent form than it does any other part of the among them I find the name of Napoleon III, has never been publicly stated, died under chloroform which was administered when he was with a disease having the objective symptoms about to undergo a painful operation."

immense advantage to Bismarck, but one need not for that reason conclude that the unfortunate Prince was removed. It is nearly certain, however, that he did not commit suicide. We all know that he did not make a love match, and it the one which a Jewish beauty told him to take, immediately died as quickly as the first victim because she was the least likely to ever sub- in the cause of science before dilution, jugate him. Stephanie has, so to speak, no eyes. Her husband called them eyes incapable of deadly germ, but we have not as yet secured a expressing any feeling but of variness and prophylactic for its cure or prevention. My suspicion. I do not in the least blame, the confrères are now at work solving the problem. Crown Prince for having sought his feminine From the success so fir in this original field of ideal outside of his matrimonial life. There research, I have little doubt that an inoculating cannot be anything more horrible than the fluid will be forthcoming. We have virus botmatrimonial status which was forced upon him. tled and corked. We can give any number of VORM. MEISTER, LUCIUS & BRUNING, He was young, clever, original, freakish and rabbits or dogs the diphtheria and kill them as without standing or influence, having out of effectually as though they had caught it at first HORCHST-ON-MAIN, GERMANY. resources of his own creation to pay family bills, hand in the regular course of events. hoticed her. She was so spleaded provided coming over to secure by a visit to the institute

(r by the Crown Prince that he did her a wrong I tting her live mostly as she liked. He conceived a positive aversion to his wife when she began to show herself jealous, and great as his prudence was, she was unable to conceal her bitterness of

. LONDON, February 12th.

We have not got to the bottom of the Meyering tragedy. I do not believe in the authenticity of the letters which appeared in the papers as coming from Rudolph and Mary Vosers, stating their intention to live no longer. These letters seem to me of a piece with all the stories told by order of the Emperor between the occurrence of the tragedy and the funeral of udolph. Before there was time to concoct a g od circumstantial account which would hold well together, official people blurted out that Rudolph was shot behind the car in a diagonal direction and that the coronal part of the skud was carried off by the ball as it went out of the head. Nothing at all was said of Mary Vosers.

We might fancy that it was she who discharged the pistol if she had not been shot in the back. linth were found dead on the same couch, and here were flowers scattered upon Mary. Does not this point to a woman's hand, to a maniac from jealousy and to irony in her vengeance i The diagonal shot upward also points to some body having been concealed in the room under bed or table or some other piece of furniture, and creeping along stealthily until he or she got up to the sleeping pair, and placed the muzzle of the pistol close to Rudolph's head. firing up at it. Mary, doubtless, on hearing the shot jumped up, when she was knocked over by pistol shot in the back. There were mutilations, also, of both bodies which showed maniacal hatred, 'The Baroness Vosers, I am told, calls, for justice. It is withheld to prevent a worse scandal than that which has been stirring the world for the last fortnight. The letters an nouncing suicidal intent have been pointed out to me as overdone. Why, of all persons in the world, should Rudolph have written on this subject to the Duke of Braganza, with whom he was alightly acquainted and who lives at Lisbon? If Braganza had only lived a stone's throw from the Hofburg, one might understand the curt

intention, wishes him good evening in the word "Servas," as is the fashion in Vienna. If there was murder, the murderer or murderess must have known the petite maison at Meyerling the dogs and domestics, so as to get in without being barked at or challenged. There were several watch-dogs there and unchained. Why should Rudolph, with his great expectations, have taken a suicidal plunge with his inamorata? At Vienna, where manners and morals are lax, it would have been thought a: feather in her cap to have made a conquest of him and to have been conquered in return. The Pope refused Rudolph a divorce because he spolicd for it as Crown Prince, and his Holiness wanted to render a service to the King of the Belgians, who might in return for it be expected not to give his daughter Clementine to the Prince of Naples. The hypothesis of a double murder severywhere accepted out of England. Some imagine that the shots must have been fired by a brother of the young Prince; others by a gamekeeper, and then there is a theory of an illustrious personage, having lain in ambush under the table until the lovers were asleep. But the curious thing is that every one out of England thinks it all right that the heir apparent the dual empire should have been shot

missive in which Rudolph, after announcing his

There was no question that Mr. Stead was the actual writer of the article on Bismarck in the Contemporary Review. He- wrote it from material furnished him by Mr. Bunting, editor 1873, when every room which had been occupied of the Review. Maybe this material passed by Persians had to be entirely repainted, rede- | through Paris, but what I believe is that a very corated and refurnished in consequence of their | tonsiderable portion of it emanated from Sir

because he was en bonne fortune. The tendency

on the Continent is to keep down gallantry by

granting immunity to kill those who are caught.

Lord Randolph Churchill's hostility to his former colleagues has apparently abated to a considerable extent, for he met five of them at a carnival dinner given a few days ago at Monte Carlo by Mr. Bonsor, M.P. The Ministerial guests were: Mr. Ritchie, Lord Lewisham, Akers, Douglas, Jackson and Colonel Walrong. It is said that overtures have been made to him and that he has been offered the Secretaryship of

Mrs. Chamberlain, as I understand from those who have the privilege to know her, is a lady possessed of so many charms and good qualities that Mr. Chamberlain, who seems, in his newborn love of ancestry, to be more proud of her great-grandfather than of her, may well be congratulated upon having won her. But it is a representatives are treated as felons, Americans | gentleman to seize upon the opportunity of the country would approve their action, Salisbury of welcome-which, of course, was personal and the classes have always shown themselves rather than political, and which any Gladstonian bitter enemies of America. During the Sackville lady, would with pleasure sign-drag in his own incident Lord Salisbury went, out of his way to political views, and thus, under the protecting explain that Mr. Cleveland lost the election petticoats of his wife, vent his rancour at not because he packed Lord Sackville and his having been accepted as the leader of the Liberal baggage out of the country for having inter- party, vice Gladstone removed. So far as I-can quently explained to a reporter that an American | Chamberlain being presented to her at Glasgow, Secretary of State could not be believed. He he seeks to prove that there is no analogy

PASTEUR INTERVIEWED

The Paris correspondent of the San Francisco | Captain G. Tayler, will be despatched for the Chronicle 'interviewed' Professor Pasteur in above Ports, on SATURDAY, the 16th instant, the magnificent building of the Institute Pasteur, at'4 P.M. on the Rue Rotat, which public subscription has elected in his honor, and as a home for the great

"Yes," said he with a pleasant smile, " think I will be able to give pleasant news to the New World, My able assistants, Drs. Roux and Yersiro, have discovered the germ of the terrible disease diphtheria, which ravages in winter your large cities, I believe, in a more world. Taking the morbid tissue from the who in reality, though it is believed that the fact | throat of a victim, several animals have been inoculated with it, and all died in due course

of diphtheria. "So far, so good; but the opponents of the The death of Rudolph is, without doubt, an animalculæ theory in epidemic disease then said that these experiments only showed the terrible SICKNESS, virulence of the original poison. . To answer this my young scientific assistants, by means of a NEURALGIA, HOOPING-COUGH, &c. glass tube graduated to the hundredth power. diluted the morbid tissue to an infinitesimal! is no secret that of the two Princenes who were amount. The germ was then taken from the pointed out to him as desirable malches, he took last crop, and a rabbit was inoculated, which

"This is how we stand—we have found the

rent and taxes. His wife was wholly uninterest- We have not, however, succeeded yet in ing, anything but pretty, and such an uncom- attenuating the virus, and so cannot inoculate, monplace physiognomy that if she had been a I wish you would lay great stress on this point. chambermaid in a hotel nobody would have because Lam afraid a whole shipload will be

Pasteur immunity from diphtheritic affections. Tell them we are not ready for business yet, but

terhaps will be in summer. M. Pasteur than turned to the inspection of his glass tubes, filled with the deadly germs, inicrobes or bacilli, of many diseases which flesh is heir to, and remarked, with a smile. "Our children are in luck. It will be much pleasanter to live in the twentieth century, when epidemics will be done away with."

e'asday's Advertisements.

ADAME KORFF MDLLE. MAILLARD will give another

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Mrs. HUMPHREYS. THIRD PART.

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Hongkong, 25th February, 1889.

W. H. LOBB, Naval Storekeeper.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

TENDERS are invited for the construction of a SCREW STEAM VESSEL for the Selangor Government. Tenders should be scaled and should be addressed to the British 'Resident, Selangor, via Singapore, to reach Selangor not later than noon on the 1st May, 1889. Further information may be obtained from the

COLONIAL SECRETARY at Hongkong. F. A. SWETTENHAM. British Resident, [307] T. Sampson, Esq. Kuala Lumpor, 25th January, 1889.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

SPOON COMPETITION.

300 YARDS, 10 SHOTS.

TEXT SATURDAY, the 16th March, IN 4 O'CLOCK P.M., Position-Standing, Kneeling or Sitting. Members' attention is called to Rule No. 7.

A. SHELTON HOOPER, Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, 11th March, 1889.

MASONIC BALL.

A LL Persons having accounts against the A General Committee, are particularly requested to send them in to the Undersigned, on or before the 15th instant, at 4 P.M., after

which date no claim will be entertained. Subscribers to the Ball who may not have Hon. A. J. LEACH. Offices or places of Business in the Colony, will greatly oblige by forthwith sending the amount of their Subscriptions to the Hon. Treasurer, Mr. W. H. GASKELL at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, as collection will

be greatly facilitated thereby. ALF. WOOLLEY, Hon. Sec.,

Masonic Ball Committee. Hongkong, 8th March, 1889.

THE PUNIOM AND SUNGHEI DUA SAMANTAN MINING COMPANY. LIMITED.

NTOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the PUNJON AND SUNGHEI DUA SAMANTAN MINING COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the Registered Office of the Company No. 9, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 18th day of March, 1889, at 4 O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON, when the subjoined Resolution. which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 25th of February instant, will be submitted for Confirmation as a Special Resolution.

RESOLUTION. That the Capital of the Company be increased to the sum of \$600,000 legally current in the Colony of Hongkong by the creation of 20,000 New Shares of \$10 each. Subject; to any direction to the contrary that may be given by the Meeting sanctioning the increase of Capital, all New Shares shall be offered to the Members in proportion to (19).—Three Legged Ruce 120 Yards existing Shares held by them, and such offer shall be made by notice specifying the number of Shares to which the Member is entitled and limiting a time within which the offer if not accepted will be deemed to be declined, and after the expiration of such time or on the receipt of an intimation from the Member to whom such notice is given that he declines to accept the Shares offered, such Shares shall be dealt with by the Directors in their discretion.

Dated the 25th day of February, 1889. 1889. By Order of the Board, 😘 A. O'D. GOURDIN. Secretary.

THE PUNIOM AND SUNGHIE DUA SAMANTAN MINING COM-PANY, LIMITED.

TOTICE is hereby given that if the above wentioned Resolution for the Increase of the Capital of the Company be Confirmed, the SHARE REGISTER of the Company will be CLOSED from the 19th day of March to the 15th day of April, both inclusive. Dated the 25th day of February, 1889.

By Order of the Board, A. O'D. GOURDIN. Becretary, 1

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Hongkong, 12th March, 1889 THE HONGKONG AMATEUR ATHLETIC SPORTS.

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LIST OF EVENTS. (1)-100 Yards Flat Race Prizes. Putting the Shot (16lbs. open) ... I (3).-120 Yards Flat Race (Handicap).2 (4).—Exercises on German Horse (5).-Half Mile Race (open to Army,

Navy, and Police) " (6),—High Jump (7).-Throwing the Cricket Ball......... " (8).-Quarter Mile Flat Race (Ladies (o) - Veterans Race (120 Yards Handicap)2 10), -Boys Race (100 Yards Handicap) (open to all under to years of

(ii),-Half Mile Race (Handicap)2 " 11).-120 Yards Hurdle Race)...... (16) -- 220 Yards Flat Race (Handicap) 2 (17) -- Small Girls Race (Handicap) (open to all under 7 years of

age)3 ...

(post entries)...... 20).-Consolation Race 120 Yards1 (21).—International Tug-of-War

6.20 P.M.-Presentation of Prizes by Lady Sports to commence at 2 P.M. precisely.

Starting will be at report of Pistol. Competitors will take place according to the numbers on the Programme.-Numbers to count from the right hand.

Any Competitor starting before the signal to be put back one yard for the first offence, and to be disqualified for the second offence.

A Bell will be rung 5 minutes before the commencement of each event. Competitors are requested to be ready at the

times fixed on the Programme for the events to take place, but the Committee reserve to themselves the right of changing the order, or the time of starting. The decision of the Judges to be final.

Hongkong, 12th March, 1889.

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THE AUCTIONEER. Hongkong, 11th March, 1889.

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., J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioncer, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, 13th March, 1889.

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The Hongkong High-Level Tramway Co., Limited-210 per cent. premium, sellers. The East Borneo Planting Co., Limited-\$45 per share, sellers. The Songei Koyah Planting Co., Ld. -\$40 per

share, sellers. Cruickshank & Co., Ld. -\$45 pershare, sellers. The Steam Launch Co., Limited-100 per cent. premium, nominal. The Austin Arms Hotel and Building Co., Ltd. -20 per cent. dis., buyers.

The- China-Borneo Co., Ld.-\$65 per share sellers. The Green Island Cement, Co. - \$60 per share,

The Hongkong Land Investment Co., Ld .- \$130 per share, sales and buyers. The Hongkong Electric Light Co., Ld.-\$8 per share, sales and sellers.

EXCHANGE. On London.—Bank, T. T......2/11; Bank Bills, on demand3/0 Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight3/01 Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight ... 3/04 Credits at 4 months' sight3/0 Documentary Bills, at 4 months' ... sight3/0

ON PARIS.— Bank Bills, on demand......3.79 Credits, at 4 months' sight3.88 On Demand......220' ON SHANGHAL --

OPIUM MARKET.-THIS DAY.

NEW MALWA, per picul...... \$530 (Allowance, Taels 68). OLD MALWA, per picul..... \$550 to \$580 (Allowance, Taels 68). NEW PATNA, (without choice) per chest ... \$5421 NEW PATNA, (first choice) per chest \$545

NEW PATNA. (bottom) per chest \$5522 NEW PATNA. (second choice) per chest ... \$540 NEW BENARES, (without choice) per chest \$520 NEW BENARES, (bottom) per chest: \$5322 NEW PERSIAN (best quality) per picul. \$550 OLD PERSIAN (best quality) per picul..... \$500 OLD PERSIAN (sm.ond quality) per picul ... \$475.

HONGKONG TEMPERATURE.

(From Mesara, Falconer & Co.'s Register.)

Chermometer-I B.M. Thermometer—4 p.m. (Wet bulb)
Thermometer—1 p.m. (Wet bulb)
Thermometer—4 p.m. (Wet bulb)
Thermometer—4 p.m. (Wet bulb) Thermometer-Maximum over night)

CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

13th Marrh, 1889 .- At 4 p.m.

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The birometer has risen and gradients are steep for nonheast winds. Cloudy, cool and dry weather prevails.

3.—Barometer reduced to level of the sea in inches, tenths and hundredths. s.—Temperature in the shade in degrees, fabrenheit. 3.—Humidity in percentage of saturatios, the humidity of air saturated with moisture being too. 4.—Direction of the wind to two points. 5.—Force of the wind according to Beaufort scale. 6.—State of the weather, 5 Blue sky, 7 Detached clouds, 6 Drissling rain, 7 Fog. 5 Gloomy, 5 Hall, 5 Lightning, 6 Overcast, 5 Passing showers, 5 Squally, 7 Rain, 5 Saow, 5 Thunder, 5 Visibility, 6 Dew weet), 3.—Rain in inches, tenths and hundredths.

W. Dossacz, 5. Hongkong Observatory, 14th March, 1889.

MAILS EXPECTED.

THE ENGLISH MAIL The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Ganges, with the next English mail, left Singapore at 6 a.m., on the 14th instant, and is expected here on or about the 19th. THE CANADIAN MAIL.

The Canadian Pacific S. S. Co.'s steamer Abyssinia, with the Canadian mail, from Vancouver on the 19th ultimo, left Yokohama on the 7th instant for Nagasaki, Shanghai and Hong-

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The Ben line steamer Benarty left Singapore on the 7th instant, and, is expected here on

The Ocean Steamship Co.'s steamer Titan, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the 8th instant, and is expected here on the 15th. The Ocean Steamship Co.'s steamer Nestor. from Liverpool, left Singapore on the 8th instant,

and is due here on the 15th. The China Shippers' Mutual S. N. Co.'s steamer Ningchow, from Glasgow and Liverpool, lest Singapore for this port on the 10th instant, and may be expected here on or about

The 'Glen 'line steamer Glengyle, from London, left Singapore on , the roth instant, and is due here on the 17th.

ARRIVALS. NIERSTEIN, German steamer, 731, Bartels, 13th Melchers & Co.

FUSHUN, Chinese steamer, 1,503, A. Croad, 13th March, -Whampon 13th March, General. -C. M. S. N. Co.

ELSE, German brig, 287, Schwartz, 13th March, -Amoy oth March, General .- Order. CONQUEST, British corvette, 2,380, Captain C. Oxley, 13th March,-Honolulu 13th Feb. Chow-chow-roo, German steamer, 796, V Wendt, 13th March,-Deli 1st March,

Singapore 3rd, and Hoihow 12th, General. -Melchers & Co. PHRA CHULA CHOM KLAO, British steamer,

7th March, Rice.-Yuen Fat Hong. RAMBLER, British surveying-vessel, 830 tons, 690 horse-power, 3 guns, Commander W. A. Moore, 14th March,—from a cruise.

ANTON, German steamer, 396, E. Aereboe, 14th March,-Hoihow 12th March, General,-Wieler & Co. ANADYR, French steamer, 2,489, Delacroix, 14th March, -Marseilles toth February, Alex-

andria 15th, Port Said 16th, Suez 17th, Aden 22nd, Colombo 1st March, Singapore 7th, and Saigon 11th, Mails and General. - Messageries Maritimes. NGRABAN, German steamer, 394, T. R. Mass.

mann, 14th March,-Manila 11th March, Hemp and Sugar.-Wieler & Co. REJR, Danish steamer, 419, Lund, 14th March, -Haiphong 11th March, General -- Arn. hold, Karberg & Co.

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE ! Chow-chow-foo, German steamer, for Swatow. Hechtanooga, British ship, for Iloilo. Nierstein, German steamer, for Newchwang. Fushun, Chinese steamer, for Shanghai.

March 13, Kwanglee, Chinese steamer, for March 13, Ningpo, German str., for Whampoa. -March 13, Kutsang, British str., for Whampoa. March 14, Else, German brig, for Whampoa. March 14. Jason, British steamer, for Singa-

March 14, Fokien, British steamer, for Swa-March 14, Don Juan, Spanish str., for Amoy.

March 14. Nierstein, German steamer, for Che-March 14, Fushum, Chinese str., for Shanghai.

PASSENGERS—ARRIVED. Per Chow-chow-foo, str., from Deli.-119

Chinese. · Per Phra Chula Chom Klao, str., from Bangkok .- I European and 63 Chinese. Per Anion, str., from Holhow. -55 Chinese. Per Anadyr, str., from Marseilles for Hong-

kong.-Mrs. Bardac, Miss Smith, Messrs. Loy Hong Kong, Loi Sun, and Cavalieri. From Singapore.-Mr. and Mrs. Hughes, Captain Lucy, Messrs, F. Watson and Low Fat Sing. From Saigon,-180 Chinese. From Marseilles for Shanghai,-Sisters Anne Marie, Xaviérine, H. de Gonse, Justine, Messrs. Fergusson, Liberge, Alibert, Lancea, and Achte: From Singapore.-Mr. Connor. From Marsellles for Kobe.-Mr. Sano. From Singapore.-Mr. Buzume. From Marsielles for Yokohama .-Messrs. Schi, Samuel Endicott, Nyio, Green and Jassours Jeghi. From Colombo.-Messrs. Vullient, Révillard and Gaudard. From Singapore.-Lieut. Alford and Mr. Earle. From Saigon.-Mr. Charpentier.

Per Jason, str., for Singapore, &c.- I European and 884 Chinese. Per Don Juan, str., for Amoy. - 2 Europeans

and 40 Chinese. Per Fushun, str., for Shanghal .- 4 Europeans and 300 Chinese.

REPORTS. The German steamship Chow-chow-foo reports that she lest Deli'on the 1st instant, Sin-. gapore on the 3rd, and Hoihow on the rath, Had strong south wind in the Gulf of Tonquin. From Hainan Straits to St. John's Island had

strong north-north-east wind and heavy sea to The British steamship Phra Chula Chom Klao reports that she left Bangkok on the 7th instant. Had fresh breeze and fine weather with south-cast wind until the 12th at midnight thence strong breeze and heavy sea with northerly wind until noon on the 13th; thence to port fresh breeze.

Post Office.

A. MAYL WILL CLOSE For Shanghai, Kobe, and Yokohama.-Per Anadyr, to-morrow, the 15th instant, at 10.30

For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama,-Per Ancona, to-morrow, the 15th instant, at 11.30

.For Holhow and Pakhol.-Per Anton, tomorrow, the 15th instant, at 5.00 P.M. For Haiphong .- Per Vorwaerts, to-morrow, the 15th instant, at 5.00 P.M.

For Straits Settlements.—Per Apenrade, on Saturday, the 16th instant, at 11.30 A.M. For Europe, &c., &c.-Per Sachsen, on Satur-

day, the 16th instant, at 5.00 P.M. For Port Darwin, Thursday Island, Cooktown, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne, Adelaide, &c .- Per Guthrie, on Tuesday, the 19th instant, at 1.30 P.M. For Yokohama and San Francisco .-- Per

Talsang, on Tuesday, the 19th instant, at 2.30 For Europe, &c., Australia, Madras, Calcutta. and Mauritius,-Per Dismuah, on Wednesday, the 20th instant, at 11.00 A.M.

SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

STEAMERS.

ALWINE, German steamer, 400, Samuelson, 12th March,-Haiphong oth March, and Hoihow 11th, Rice,-Wieler & Co.

11th March, -Yokohama 3rd March, Kobe P. & O. S. N. Co.

Wieler & Co.

ASHINGTON, Gorman steamer, 800, Zindel, 11th March,—Saigon 7th March, Rice.—Siems-

sen & Co. CHANGSHA, British steamer, 1,500, Williams, 6th March,—Whampon 6th March, Gene-ral.—Butterfield & Swire. CHINA, German steamer, 648, J. Möller, 26th Feb., Hoihow 25th Feb., General.—Mel-

chers & Co. DECCAN, British steamer, 2,022, F. Cole, 111 March,-Bombay 21st February, and Sin gapore 5th March, General .- P. & O. S

FAME, British steamer, 117, A. Stopsni.-Hong

rong and Whampoa Dock Co. FORMOSA, British steamer, 674, T. Hall, 13t March,-Tamsui, and Amoy 11th March General. - D. Lapraik & Co.

GUTHRIE, British steamer, 1.467, H. Craig, 9 March,-Sydney oth Feb., Cape Moreto 11th, Keppel Bay 13th, Townsville 14th Cooktown 15th, Thursday Island 21st, an Port Darwin 27th, Coal and General.-Russell & Co.

March,-Whampon 13th March, General.- HAITAN, British steamer, 1,183, T. G. Pococl 13th March, -Foothow 10th March, Amo 11th, and Swatow 12th, General.-D. Li praik & Co.

OCEANIC, British steamer, 3,808, Juo. Metcali 13th March, -San Francisco 13th Feb., an Yokohama 7th March, Mails and General. -0. & O. S. S. Co. PILOT FISH, British steamer, 161, A. Stopani.-

Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co. SARTHE, French steamer, Lehnéde, 13th March, -Iloilo 8th March, Sapanwood.-A. R

1,012, A. Benson, 13th March, Bangkok TAISANO, British steamer, 1,505, Jackson, 13th March,-Calcutta, and Singapore 6th March, General,-Jardine, Matheson & Co. TRIUMPH, German steamer, 674, P. Moos, 13th March,-Saigon 8th March, Rice and General.-Wieler & Co.

VORWARTS, German steamer, 612, T. Bruhn, 12th March,-Haiphong 9th March, Rice and General. - Wieler & Co.

SAILING VESSELS.

ADAM W. SPIES, American bark, 1,171, A. D. Field, 22nd Jan.,-Newcastle, N.S.W., 3rd Dec., Coals.—Russell & Co.

Aron, Norwegian bark, 634, A. Christensen, 3rd March,-Rajang, Borneo 3rd Feb., Timber. -Chinese. CENTAUR, German bark, 469, Christiansen, 7th

March, Singapore 17th January, Timber. -Wieler & Co. COLONA, American bark, 852, C. M. Wages, 24th Dec.,-Portland (Oregon) and Nov.,

Lumber and Spars.—Captain. EME, British bark, 778, W. Summers, 23rd Jan.,-London and October, General.-

Melchers & Co. EMPIRE, Américan ship, 1,075, T. L. Snow, 21st Feb., -- New York 5th June, Kerosene Oil.

-Russell & Co. ERLKOENIG, Chinese bark, 457, Opium Examination hulk, Stonecutters' Island .- Chinese Customs.

HECTANOOGA, British ship, 1,044, H. F. Cann, 1st March.—Cardiff 19th October, Coal. P. & O. S. N. Co.

LADY HAREWOOD, British bark, 381, Williams, 12th March,—Rajang 7th February, Timber. -Chinese. MERCURY, British schooner, 361, David Thomas,

4th Feb. - Freemantle 22nd Dec., Sandal wood.-Jardine, Matheson & Co. PACTOLUS, Americanship, Burnham, 28th, Feb.,

-Shanghai 19th February, General.-Pustau & Co.

Intimations.

THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFAC-TURING COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Fifth Ordinary General MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the OFFICE of the Company, Praya Central, on MONDAY, 25th March, at Three o'Clock in the Asternoon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, declaring a Dividend and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 25th Instant, both days inclusive.

RUSSELL & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 5th March, 1889.

LIMITED.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR

THE YEAR, 1888. ONTRIBUTORS to the above Office are requested to furnish the Undersigned with a List of their Contributions for the year ending 31st December, 1888, in order that the Distribution of Bonus may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 30th day of March instant, will be adjusted by the Office, and

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents, Canton Insurance Office, Limited. Hongkong, 1st March, 1889.

no Claims or Alterations will be subsequently

THE STEAM LAUNCH COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE THIRD CALL OF TEN DOLLARS per Share is due on the 2nd day of April, 1889, as per Article No. 33 of the Company.
Shereholders will please pay the amount due upon their Shares to the Hongkong and SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. By Order,

Secretary. Hongkong, 12th March, 1889. THE CHINA BORNEO COMPANY.

A. G. GORDON.

LIMITED. THE STATUTORY GENERAL MEETING I of the above Company will be held at the HONGKONG HOTEL on SATURDAY, the 30th

instant, at 0.30 P.M. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents in Hongkong and China. Hengkong, 1 ith March, 1859.

STEAMERS EXPECTED IN HONGKONG. DATE DUE. STEAMERS. FROM.

Benarty Gibb, Livingston & Co. ANCONA, British steamer, 1,555, W. J. Webber, TitanLiverpool Liverpool March 15th Nestor..... Liverpool March 15th 5th, and Nagazaki 7th, Mails and General. Abyssinia Vancouver March 17th Adamson, Bell & Co. Ningchow Liverpool Arnhold, Karberg & Co. March 17th March 17th Jardine, Matheson & Co. APENRADE, German steamer, 1,473, Hohlmann, Glengyle...... London London 21st Jan.,-Nagasaki 17th Jan., Coal.- Ganges London London March 10th P. & O. S. N. Co.

STEAMERS LOADING IN HONGKONG.

DESTINATION.	· VESSELS.	AGENTS.	DATE OF LEAVING.
London, via Suez Car	al Glenlyon	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	About March 19th.
London, via Suez Car	al Telamon	Butterfield & Swire	March 21st.
London & L'oool, via	S. C. Oanfa	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	About March 15th.
Marseilles, via Saigor	. &c. Diemnah	Messageries Maritimes	Mar. 20th, at noon.
Bremen, via Ports of	Call. Sachsen	Melchers & Co	Mar. 17th, at 10 a.m.
San Francisco, via V	hama City of Rio de Janei	ro Pacific Mail S. S. Co	Mar. 31st, daylight.
San Francisco, via Y	hama Oceanic	O. & O. S. S. Co	Mar. 23rd, at t p.m.
Vancouver, B.C., via I	L,&c. Abyasinia		
Sydney, Melbourne,	c. Guthrie	Russell & Co	Mar. 10th, at 2 p.m.
Port Darwin, &c	Changsha	Butterfield & Swire	Mar. 20th, at 4 p.m.
Calcutta, via Straits.	Taisano	Jardine, Matheson & Co	Mar. 10th, at 3 p.m.
Sincapore, via S'daka	n. &c. Memnon	Butterfield & Swire	March 18th, at 4 p.m
Singapore and Penar	g Apenrade	Geo. R. Stevens & Co.,	Mar. 16th, at noon.
Yokohama, via N'sal	d. &c. Ancons	P. & O. S. N. Co	. To-morrow, at noon,
Kobe and Vokobama	Benarty,	Gibb, Livingston & Co	March 16th.
Tientsin			
Shanghai, Kobe, &c.			
Shanghai	Nestor	Butterfield & Swire	March 17th.
Shanghai			
Shanghai, via Amoy	Titan	Butterfield & Swire	March 17th.
Haiphong		Arghold, Karberg & Co	. To-morrow: daylight
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Intimations.

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NOTICE.

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L. MALLORY.

C. EWENS.

General Manager.

Hongkong, 20th August, 1888.

Always on Hand.

Hongkong, 24th June, 1881.

EWENS before the 15th instant.

Hougkong, 5th March, 1889.

time by visitors from the Far East.

Hongkong, 11th March, 1889.

KOWLOON HOTEL.

J. C. L. ROUCH......MANAGER.

TABLES, BOWLING ALLEYS, TENNIS

AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

PPLICATIONS for the POST

SECRETARY to the above Company

will be received until the 20th instant. Such

applications to be addressed to the CHAIRMAN of the Company at the Offices No. 7, Queen's Road

THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAMSHIP

COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE SIXTH ORDINARY GENERAL

be held at the OFFICE of the Company, Praya

Central, on SATURDAY, 23rd March, at 12

O'CLOCK NOON, for the purpose of receiving the

Report of the General Managers, declaring a

Dividend, and electing a Consulting Committee,

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company

RUSSELL & Co.,

General Managers,

will be CLOSED from 9th to 23rd instant, both

Liengtong, and March, 1889.

MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will

Hongkong, 6th March, 1889.

Central

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days inclusive.

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Hongkong, 20th September, 1888.

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Sir ROBERT RAWLINGON, C.B., C.E., Chief

Sanitary Engineer, Local Government Board

AGENTS.

PAYMENT OF FINAL DIVIDEND IN ADVANCE UNDER DISCOUNT.

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> E. W. RUTTER Agent for the Official Liquidator, Oriental Bank Corporation, in Liq.

Hongkong, 6th February, 1880. THE BARCELONA TRANS-ATLANTIC

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M. GROTE. Acting Clerk of the Course. Hungkong, 11th March, 1889.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION IN LIQUIDATION. NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PAYMENT OF 6TH DIVIDEND 6TH DIVIDEND of 61 % on all claims against the Hongkong Branch of the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, which have been approved by the Court of Chancery will be paid at the Offices of the NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED, on and after MONDAY,

the 18th March next. Creditors are requested to apply to the Bank for their Dividends and to produce the letter they hold from the Official Liquidator admitting their claims in order that the payment of the 6th Dividend may be endorsed thereon.

THE Official Liquidator, by arrangement with the Assets Realisation Co., is prepared to pay in advance to Creditors willing to receive. such payment, IN FULL DISCHARGE OF THEIR CLAIMS the Dividend of 5. 2/2 payable in the year 1890, UNDER A DISCOUNT OF FIVE

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